IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Longgui Wang *et al.* Confirmation No.: 9273

Application No.: 10/754,547 Group Art Unit: 1614

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Title: **METHODS OF TREATING AN** Attorney Docket No.: 15741.004

INFLAMMATORY-RELATED DISEASE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action mailed on May 6, 2008, thereby extending the reply due date to November 6, 2008. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee of \$555.00 and any additional fees that may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 060590.

Respectfully submitted,

November 6, 2008 /Rodney J. Fuller/

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